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Myron O. Knudson, P.E. Director, Superfund Division (6SF) United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region VI 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas 75202-2733

Re: Westbank Asbestos Site, Marrero, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana Update to Site Feasibility Study

Dear Mr. Knudson:

Enclosed please find an update to the Feasibility Study that Johns Manville (JM) has undertaken for the several operable units at the Westbank Asbestos Site. The enclosed information supplements several prior letters submitted to EPA Region VI.

As referenced in our July 19, 1999 letter to you, JM contends that CERCLA and the NCP require that all operable units at this site be the subject of a RI/FS prior to any remediation decision.

If you or any member of your staff has any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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